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For: MULTI-WAVELENGTH LIGHT AMPLIFIER

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 136(a), Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of time into the <u>third</u> month after the response due date, i.e., until <u>December 21, 2006</u>, for responding to the Office Action mailed <u>June 21, 2006</u>.

A check for the appropriate fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of <u>\$1020.00</u> is attached hereto for this Petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any Petition for Extension of Time fee for underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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